

JUDGE MARSHA J. PECHMAN

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	NO. CR 04-399-MJP
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
vs.	)	ORDER CONTINUING PRETRIAL
	)	MOTIONS DEADLINE AND TRIAL
MIRZA AKRAM,	)	DATE
	)	
Defendant.	)	
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THE COURT having considered the stipulation of the parties, the records and files herein, and the motion for continuance of the pretrial motions deadline and the trial date, hereby makes the following findings:

1. The Court finds that a failure to grant the continuance would deny counsel the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of due diligence, within the meaning of 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(8)(B)(iv).

2. The Court further finds that the ends of justice will be served by ordering a continuance in this case, that a continuance is necessary to insure effective trial preparation and that these factors outweigh the best interests of the public in a more speedy trial, within the meaning of 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(8)(A).

1 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the time within which pretrial motions must  
2 be filed in this case is extended from May 1, 2006 to June 25, 2006, and the trial date in  
3 the **Food Stamp Fraud** case extended from May 15, 2006, to July 18, 2006.

4 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT the time period between May 15, 2006, and  
5 July 18, 2006 is excludable time, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(8)(A), for the  
6 purposes of computing the time limitations imposed by the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C.  
7 §§ 3161-3174.

8 DONE this 9<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2006.

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11 /S/Marsha J. Pechman  
12 JUDGE MARSHA J. PECHMAN  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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